

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO**

**ARCHIE LEE MONTTOYA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**No. 16-cv-1338 SMV**

**CAROLYN W. COLVIN,  
Acting Commissioner of Social Security Administration,**

**Defendant.**

**ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS***

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Plaintiff's Application to Proceed District Court without Prepaying Fees or Costs (Long Form) [Doc. 4] ("Motion"), filed on December 8, 2016. Plaintiff moves to proceed *in forma pauperis* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. *Id.* The Court, being fully advised in the premises FINDS that the Motion is well-taken and should be GRANTED.

**IT THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED** that Plaintiff's Application to Proceed District Court without Prepaying Fees or Costs [Doc. 4] is **GRANTED**. Plaintiff may proceed in this action without payment of a filing fee, costs, or security therefor.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the United States Marshal Service is directed to serve the summons and complaint on the United States Attorney, the Attorney General, and the Office of the General Counsel of the Social Security Administration.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**



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**STEPHAN M. VIDMAR  
United States Magistrate Judge**